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SUBJECT: OCTOBER PRELIMINARY FOREIGN TRADE DATA

1. PRELIMINARY TRADE DIGURES FOR OCTOBER RELEASED
BY ISTAT ON DECEMBER 9 SHOW INCREASED DEFICIT IN CUSTOMS
BALANCE OF TRADE COMPARED TO THAT OF PRECEDING MONTH, AFTER
SURPLUSES REGISTERED IN JUNE, JULY AND AUGUST.

2. C.I.F. IMPORTS WERE 3,745 BILLION LIRE.
REVISED SEPTEMBER FIGURE IS 3,346 BILLION LIRE (PRELIMINARY
SEPTEMBER FIGURE WAS 3,348). PERCENT CHANGE OCTOBER 1977 OVER
OCTOBER 1976 WAS UP 13.9. CUMULATIVE JANUARY-OCTOBER C.I.F.
IMPORTS WERE 34,159 BILLION LIRE, UP 18.5 PERCENT OVER COMPARABLE
1976 PERIOD.

3. OCTOBER F.O.B. EXPORTS WERE 3,282 BILLION LIRE.
REVISED SEPTEMBER FIGURE IS 3,138 BILLION LIRE
(PRELIMINARY SEPTEMBER FIGURE WAS 3,136). PERCENTAGE CHANGE
OCTOBER 1977 OVER OCTOBER 1976 WAS UP 10.5. CUMULATIVE
JANUARY-OCTOBER F.O.B. EXPORTS WERE 31,751 BILLION LIRE, UP 28.6
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PERCENT OVER COMPARABLE 1976 PERIOD.

4. ISCO SEASONALLY ADJUSTED TRADE DATA FOR MAY, JUNE (FINAL
DATA), JULY AND AUGUST (PRELIMINARY DATA) ARE AS FOLLOWS:

BILLIONS OF LIRE

C.I.F. IMPORTS F.O.B. EXPORTS

MAY 1977 3,583.3 3,364.7
JUNE 1977 3,397.9 3,324.4
JULY 1977 3,339.3 3,329.1
AUGUST 1977 3,290.9 3,294.8
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